GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
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INDO-JAPANESE ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL CO-OPERATION
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have reviewed the Indo-Japanese economic and cultural co-operation;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the main projects aided and approved by Japan and their year-wise progress during the last three years;

(d) the details of the project under consideration of Indo-Japanese co-operation; and

(e) the steps proposed to be taken to encourage the Indo-Japanese economic and cultural co-operations during the ensuing three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL)

(a)&(b) Indo-Japanese co-operation, including economic and cultural co-operation, is reviewed periodically in various bilateral fora. Japan has been the largest bilateral donor for India, third largest investor and is among the top five trade partners of India. With a view to establishing closer economic cooperation, regular dialogues are held on trade, investment, industry and IT with counterpart Japanese Ministries. The visit of Mr. Mori, the then PM of Japan to India during August, 2000 at the invitation of India`s Prime Minister, was the first visit ever by a Japanese PM to Indiain ten years, since 1990. Regular exchange programmes have been held for students, teachers and artists on reciprocal basis for promotion of cultural cooperation between the two countries in the fields of education, sports, science and mass media.

(c) As per annexure.

(d) Since ongoing time slice projects are outside the purview of Japanese economic sanctions, the following projects for subsequent tranches of loan are under consideration of Govt. of Japan :

(1) Delhi Mass Rapid Transport System Project -Delhi
(2) Simhadri Thermal Power Station Project -A.P
(3) Bakreshwar Thermal Power Project -W.B
(4) Simhadri and Vizag Trans. System Project -A.P

(e) Celebration of the 50th anniversary of diplomatic relations and 100th anniversary of India-Japan Association during 2002 and 2003 have been proposed by leaders of both the countries.

ANNEXURE

Disbursement for JBIC, Japan assisted projects during the last three years

JBIC Loan

(in Rs. crores)

S.No.	IDP Number and Name of the Project	Disbursement 1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001
1	(IDP-40) Teesta Canal HE Project	14.13	10.89	Closed
2	(IDP-42) Assam Gas Turbine Project	18.74	1.62	Closed
3	(IDP-43) Srisailam Left Bank Power Project (I)	14.98	0.00	Closed
4	(IDP-53) Ghatghar Pumped Storage Project	26.17	27.73	83.02
5	(IDP-54) Tourism Infrastructure Development Project	46.51	Closed	Closed
6	(IDP-56) Upper Kolab Irrigation Project	12.51	Closed	Closed
7	(IDP-57) Upper Indravati Irrigation Project	18.25	Closed	Closed

8	(IDP-59)Mysore Paper Mill Modernisation Project	16.69	6.87	Closed	
9	(IDP-66)Power System Improvement Project	122.18	149.16	108.15	
10	(IDP-72)Teesta Canal HE Project	18.09	19.44	Closed	
11	(IDP-73)Indira Gandhi Afforestation Project	18.35	14.79	22.88	
12	(IDP-74)Quality Control of Health Project	1.38	Closed	Closed	
13	(IDP-79)Urban City Water Supply Project	7.32	19.17	Closed	
14	(IDP-80)Aravalli Hill Afforestation Project	38.40	38.52	Closed	
15	(IDP-81)NH-2 Improvement Project	31.54	35.03	14.38	
16	(IDP-82)Ajanta-Ellora Con. & Tourist Development Project	16.04	10.60	4.23	
17	(IDP-84)Yamuna Action Plan	39.99	86.87	38.92	
18	(IDP-85)Srisailam Power Transmission System Project	45.28	28.82	0.60	
19	(IDP-86)Gandhar Gas Based Power Project	1.04	Closed	Closed	
20	(IDP-87)Udyogamandal Ammonia Replacement Plant Project	35.09	1.68	Closed	
21	(IDP-88)Anpara `B` Thermal Power	38.53	33.03	55.40	
22	(IDP-89)Bakreswar Thermal Power Project	313.16	Closed	Closed	
23	(IDP-90)Faridabad Thermal Power Project	93.55	405.36	148.30	
24	(IDP-91)Naini Bridge Over river Yamuna	1.40	0.53	31.73	
25	(IDP-92)Four laning of NH-5	0.37	65.51	54.83	
26	(IDP-94)Srisailam Left Bank Power Project (II)	85.82	92.48	71.25	
27	(IDP-95)Srisailam Power Transmission-II	69.15	128.05	38.57	
28	(IDP-96)Assam Gas Turbine Project	37.30	17.15	49.60	
29	(IDP-97)Bakreswar Thermal Unit-3	184.76	24.56	Closed	
30	(IDP-98)Purulia Pumped Storage Project	12.97	17.56	64.98	
31	(IDP-99)Kothagudem `A` TRS	13.79	8.17	26.75	
32	(IDP-100) NH-5Improvement Project	0.45	10.99	13.22	
33	(IDP-101) NH-24 Improvement Project	0.47	19.48	31.60	
34	(IDP-102) Madras Sewerage Project	2.46	33.65	2.15	
35	(IDP-103)Lake Bhopal Cons. & Management Project	17.65	24.77	35.39	
36	(IDP-104) Rajasthan Forestry Development Project	29.32	29.97	24.24	
37	(IDP-105)Industrial Pollution Control Project	3.20	3.61	2.17	
38	(IDP-106) ICICI Programme	0.00	0.00	47.98	
39	(IDP-107) Dhauliganga HEP	7.88	28.20	57.63	
40	(IDP-108) Anpara Power Transmission Project	45.62	48.99	49.35	
41	(IDP-109) Bangalore Water Supply Project	23.88	105.97	150.03	
42	(IDP-110) Urban City Water Supply Project	33.98	198.63	46.72	
43	(IDP-111) Attapaddy Wasteland Project	0.21	3.82	4.46	
44	(IDP-112) Gujarat Forestry Project	110.04	118.17	119.45	
45	(IDP-113) KC Canal Project	3.56	56.43	58.61	
46	(IDP-115) Pipavav Ship Breaking Project	80.77	69.92	24.95	
47	(IDP-116) Northern India Trans. System Project	0.00	10.79	10.35	
48	(IDP-117)West Bengal Transmission System Project	2.55	25.45	68.05	
49	(IDP-118)Umiam Hydro Power Station Project	0.00	0.62	8.17	
50	(IDP-119) Tuirial Hydro Electric Power Project	0.00	8.15	7.08	
51	(IDP-120) Simhadri Thermal Power Project	239.64	361.51	96.31	
52	(IDP-121) Delhi Mass Rapid Transport System Project	8.76	41.49	47.98	
53	(IDP-122) Calcutta Transport System Project	2.82	19.46	39.42	
54	(IDP-123) Kerala Water Supply Project	0.00	0.00	0.00	
55	(IDP-124) Eastern Karnataka Afforestation Project	78.13	84.84	101.87	
56	(IDP-125) Tamil Nadu Afforestation Project	58.91	78.13	89.73	
57	(IDP-126) Rajghat Canal Irrigation Project	20.19	32.22	55.78	
58	(IDP-127) Simhadri & Vizag Transmission System Project	0.00	2.45	124.28	
59	(IDP-128) Srisailam Left Bank				

Power Station Project III	46.71	148.38	124.97
60 (IDP-129) Dhauliganga HE Project-II	0.00	76.35	79.58
61 (IDP-130) Bakreswar Thermal Power Project-II	379.61	438.80	156.33
62 (IDP-131) Tuticorin Port Dredging Project	0.16	200.65	4.87
63 (IDP-132) Punjab Afforestation Project	19.53	33.19	80.65
64 (IDP-133) Madhya Pradesh Sericulture Project	1.77	5.54	4.80
65 (IDP-134) Manipur Sericulture Project	7.38	6.19	3.27
66 (IDP-135) Rengali Irrigation Project	21.80	41.28	36.64
67 (IDP-136)Small Scale Industries Development Program	300.50	Closed	Closed
68 (IDP-137)Bakreswar TPS Unit-3 Extension Project-(II)	0.00	167.83	91.02
Total	2941.40	3779.51	2712.69

Disbursement under Japanese Grant in Aid Projects during last three years

Japanese Grant Aid (in Rs. crores)

1 Project for Eradication of Poliomyelitis	11.7	Closed	Closed
2 Project for Eradication of Poliomyelitis	.....	33.15	Closed
3 Project for Eradication of Poliomyelitis	.....	.....	39.00
Total	11.7	33.15	39.00

The grants for 2 and 3 above were signed between Govt. of Japan and UNICEF. Govtof India was not a signatory, the money did not route through Govt. of India`s account.